

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In application of: Eric Lee et al.

Application No.: 09/772,115

Group No.: 2811

Filing Date: 1/26/2001

Examiner: Douglas W. Owens

For: CONFORMAL SURFACE SILICIDE STRAP ON SPACER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of TWO month(s) up to and including October 3, 2002.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith. The response is the filing of a **Request For Continued Examination and Response To Final Office Action**.
3. Applicant is a LARGE entity.
4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):  

Extension:	Fee for LARGE entity:
TWO month(s)	\$400.00
	<b>Fee \$400.00</b>

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
5. Extended period for response: Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on October 3, 2002.
6. Fee Payment: Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$400.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0574. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Date: October 3, 2002

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